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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

**FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA**

**GREAT FALLS DIVISION**

STACY GENE HALL,

Petitioner,

vs.

WARDEN SAM LAW; ATTORNEY  
GENERAL OF THE STATE OF  
MONTANA,

Respondent.

No. CV-11-07-GF-SEH

**ORDER**

On January 26, 2011, United States Magistrate Judge Keith Strong entered his Findings and Recommendations in this matter.<sup>1</sup> Petitioner filed objections to Judge Strong's Findings and Recommendations on February 16, 2011. He also filed a Motion for Certificate of Appealability.

The Court has fully considered Petitioner's motion and has reviewed *de novo* Judge Strong's Findings and Recommendations. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1).

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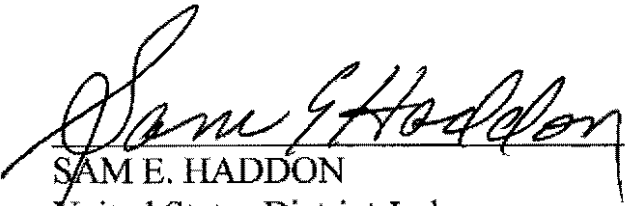
<sup>1</sup> Document No. 4

Upon *de novo* review of the record, I find no error in Judge Strong's Findings and Recommendations and adopt them in full.

ORDERED:

1. The Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus<sup>2</sup> is DISMISSED with prejudice.
2. The Motion for Certificate of Appealability<sup>3</sup> is DENIED as the Petition fails to allege a viable claim for federal habeas relief under 28 U.S.C. § 2254.
3. The Clerk is directed to enter judgment accordingly.

DATED this 28<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2011.

  
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SAM E. HADDON  
United States District Judge

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<sup>2</sup> Document No. 1

<sup>3</sup> Document No. 8